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No More Foot Ball.

The Bemidji foot ball team has been disbanded, and will play no more games this fall. The team has been very successful and during the season won a large percentage of the games played.

DREAD OF HUMANITY

I am compelled by a sense of gratitude to tell you the great good your remedy has done me in a case of Contagious Blood Poison. Among other symptoms I was severely afflicted with Rheumatism, and got almost past going. The disease got a firm hold upon my system; my blood was thoroughly poisoned with the virus. I lost in weight, was run down, had sore throat, eruptions, spotsches and other evidences of the disease. I was truly in a bad shape when I began the use of S. S. S., but the persistent use of it brought me out of my trouble safe and sound, and I have the courage to publicly testify to the virtues of your great blood remedy, S. S. S., and to recommend it to all blood-poison sufferers, sincerely believing if it is taken according to directions, and given a fair trial, it will thoroughly eliminate every particle of the virus. **JAMES CURRAN,** Stark Hotel, Greensburg, Pa.

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WRONG DEALING ALLEGED.

Receiver Asked for the Edison Phonograph Works.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 30.—The International Graphophone company has instituted suit in the court of chancery asking for the appointment of a receiver for the Edison phonograph works of Orange, N. J., and also asking that Thomas A. Edison, John F. Randolph, William E. Gilmore, the Edison Phonograph and the National Phonograph companies make discovery of the assets and profits of the Edison phonograph works alleged in the bill to be wrongfully diverted to the National Phonograph company and to the Edison Manufacturing company. Insolvency is not alleged. It is also asked the defendants make a statement of all profits or money that has been diverted from the Edison phonograph works by Edison, Randolph, Gilmore, the Edison Manufacturing company, the National Phonograph company or any of them. The International Graphophone company owns 1,440 shares of the Edison phonograph works and the bill charges that this company and Edison in 1890 agreed to form the Edison United Phonograph company, which was to have close business relations with the Edison phonograph works and to handle phonographs made by the latter company. It is further charged that in 1896 the National Phonograph company was formed by Edison and others and that this latter company furnished phonographs to the exclusion and to the financial detriment of the international company.

SENSATIONAL SUICIDE.

Wealthy Young New Yorker Kills Himself in London.

London, Nov. 30.—Elverton Chapman, aged twenty-three, whose home is in New York city, committed suicide at the Carlton hotel by throwing himself from the third floor landing to the vestibule, where he was shockingly mangled on the marble floor. Chapman arrived at the Carlton from Paris. He complained of ill health and apparently the management suspected that his mind was unbalanced as they detailed a man to watch him. The deceased remained in his room all Monday. In his fall he narrowly escaped striking the wife of the Mexican minister, General Gallardo.

New York, Nov. 30.—Elverton R. Chapman, the young man who committed suicide in a sensational manner in a London hotel, was the son of E. R. Chapman, senior member of the firm of E. R. Chapman & Co., bankers of this city. Young Chapman was about twenty-three years old and had recently graduated from Oxford. He visited his home here early in the present year. During his stay here and at the time of his departure he appeared to be in excellent health, both physically and mentally, and his friends say they are unable to account for his strange action in taking his life.

RESCUED BY FIREMEN.

Forty Children Taken From Burning Tenement.

New York, Nov. 30.—With children held under their arms, clinging around their necks or hanging to their shoulders, firemen early in the day carried forty screaming youngsters from a burning tenement house at 234 and 236 Ninth avenue. At the same time thirty adults followed the rescuers down the fire escapes. Among them was a woman who for two weeks has been helpless from a paralytic stroke. The building, a five-story tenement, was occupied by twelve families, in which the number of children averaged from three to seven. All were asleep when a passerby saw the fire. The airshaft and stairways were ablaze and the tenants fled to the fire escapes in their night clothing. Mrs. W. A. Connaughton, an aged woman living on the second floor, who had been bedridden for two weeks from paralysis, arose and climbed into the street unaided. The fright of the moment seemed to have effected a cure and she hurried to a neighbor's home without a twinge of pain. The financial loss caused by the fire was small.

From South Africa.—New Way of Using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. Arthur Chapman writing from Durban, Natal, South Africa, says: "As a proof that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a cure suitable for old and young, I pen you the following: A neighbor of mine had a child just over two months old. It had a very bad cough and the parents did not know what to give it. I suggested that if they would get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and put some upon the dummy teat the baby was sucking it would no doubt cure the child. This they did and brought about a quick relief and cured the baby." This remedy is for sale by Barker's Drug store.

SELECTS REAR ADMIRAL

CABINET DISCUSSES AMERICAN MEMBER OF ANGLORUSSIAN BOARD OF INQUIRY.

DECISION ON LOTTERY ENTERPRISES

RULING OF ATTORNEY GENERAL AFFECTS MANY MAGAZINES AND NEWSPAPERS.

Washington, Nov. 30.—An important meeting of the cabinet was held during the day. Two questions of concern were considered, the first being the appointment by the president of a representative of the American government, who will be a naval officer of high rank, on the tribunal which is to determine the questions which have arisen between Great Britain and Russia over the firing by Admiral Rozhdestvensky's Baltic fleet upon the British trawlers in the North sea, and the other being an opinion rendered by Attorney General Moody regarding the legality, under the lottery laws of "guessing contests," which have been conducted by many newspapers and magazines. The invitation extended to the president by Great Britain and Russia to name a member of the tribunal was considered carefully, especially by the president and Secretaries Hay and Morton. When the cabinet adjourned no definite conclusion as to who should be selected had been reached; but it was settled definitely that the appointee would be a rear admiral of the navy. It is practically certain choice would be made among the three officers—Rear Admirals Davis, Chadwick and Sands. Admiral Dewey was considered for the appointment and the desire was generally expressed that he should have it, but he has let it be understood that he declines the honor. Announcement of an appointment may be expected in a few days.

Some time ago, on the request of Postmaster General Wynne, the president directed the attorney general to submit to him an opinion as to the propriety, under the law restricting the operations of lottery enterprises through the mails, of guessing contests of various kinds which have been features of many publications for several years. That opinion was submitted during the day and was turned over by the president to Postmaster General Wynne, who hereafter will be guided in his direction of the department by it. The opinion is of a most sweeping character and when the postmaster general has no inclination to work hardship upon anybody, he will put the attorney general's judgment into effect as soon as may be practicable. The attorney general says the schemes are in effect lotteries under the guise of guessing contests.

PRESIDENT AT WASHINGTON.

Returns to White House From His Visit to St. Louis.

Washington, Nov. 30.—President Roosevelt arrived here at 7:02 a. m. from his visit to St. Louis. The special train was awaited by a throng of several hundred people in the Pennsylvania railroad station and as the train drew into the station the crowd broke into cheers. It was thirty-five minutes later when the president, accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt and his daughter, Miss Alice Roosevelt, alighted from their car. They were conducted immediately to their carriage, which was in waiting, and driven rapidly to the White House.

FOR EDUCATION OF NEGROES.

Ground Broken for Great Institution at Spalding, Ala.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 30.—Ground was broken during the day for the first building of a great negro educational institution, which the President, Attorney General and Southern Educational society, an auxiliary of the Methodist Episcopal church, will erect at Spalding, five miles from here. The first building will cost \$30,000 and others will be erected, making the total investment several hundred thousand dollars. Among those taking part in the ceremonies were Bishop J. M. Walden of Cincinnati, Bishop D. A. Goodsell of Boston, President F. M. Jackson of the Birmingham Commercial club and Mayor N. Drennan of Birmingham.

HEAVY DUTY IMPOSED.

Spain Will Tax Imported Corn and Flour.

Madrid, Nov. 30.—Finance Minister Oms has introduced a bill in the chamber of deputies imposing 30 cents duty on imported corn (per 100 kilos) and \$1.40 on imported flour (per 100 kilos) whenever the price of Spanish wheat exceeds \$5.50 per 100 kilos. The new duties will become effective immediately after the bill is approved by the cortes.

Wedding Party Slaughtered.

Belgrade, Serbia, Nov. 30.—A wedding party near Mostar, Macedonia, has been attacked and slaughtered by Greek Ganda, according to a telegram received at the foreign office. Thirteen of the party were killed and five were wounded. The Greeks escaped to the mountains.

SMALL SKIRMISHES FREQUENT.

No Indications of Japanese Advance on Mukden.

Mukden, Nov. 30.—A Japanese cavalryman, who has been captured by the Russians, declares that General Kuroki is not dead as has been rumored among the Chinese. There has been no important change in the situation. Small skirmishes are reported on the eastward, but there is no sign of a definite Japanese advance.

The close proximity of the opposing lines in many places is leading to new and unexpected developments. Recently the Japanese have been using dogs as scouts, sending them out from the trenches with long cords attached. It is almost impossible to detect these wary animals, which unerringly locate the Russian position and give warning of any movement against the Japanese. Some of the Russians have managed, however, to strew the neutral ground with poisoned pork, thus thinning the ranks of the dog scout department.

A number of rockets were recently sent up by the Japanese in the hope, apparently, of drawing the Russian fire at night. Prisoners taken by the Russians are generally well clothed, but are said not to show any great desire to return to their own lines.

ADVOCATE THE OPEN SHOP

CITIZENS' INDUSTRIAL CONVENTION AT NEW YORK DISCUSSES SUBJECT.

New York, Nov. 30.—Members of the Citizens' Industrial association, representing all sections of the country, were present when the second annual convention of the organization opened in the new Hotel Astor. The plans for the day's session included a number of formal addresses, in addition to the appointment of committees and other preliminary work of a like nature. It is the aim of the convention to bring about a complete organization of manufacturers, business men and all large employers of labor, to advocate the "open shop" idea. All employers not affiliated with the association were invited to attend the convention and listen to discussions on the issue of the open or closed shop, restriction of output, limitation of apprentices and questions of a similar nature. In his address of welcome President George C. Moon of the Manufacturers' association of New York warned the delegates against the pitfalls they may encounter during their stay in the city. He informed them that the place where the convention was being held, in the Tenderloin, the toughest part of New York, and cautioned them to be careful of their valuables. Mr. Moon said that the idea of the "open shop," of which the convention is the exponent, has not progressed as far in New York as it has in other parts of the country.

NATIONAL W. C. T. U. MEETS.

Five Hundred Delegates Assemble at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—The thirty-first annual convention of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union began here during the day in the Baptist temple. Sessions will be held day and night during the remainder of the week. The union numbers more than 200,000 members and includes in its ranks members of every Christian denomination. Five hundred delegates, from every state and territory in the Union, are in attendance at the convention. Presidents of representative women's clubs will be invited to make addresses during the convention and many well known clergymen and educators will join the speakers. Representatives from numerous charitable societies will also address the meeting. The chief feature of the day's programme was the annual address of Mrs. Lillian M. Stevens, Portland, Me., president of the organization. Mrs. Stevens has failed to attend but one convention in thirty years and at that time she was kept at home by illness.

WILL TEST JURISDICTION.

Colorado Democrats Apply to Court of Appeals.

Denver, Nov. 30.—Representing the Democratic state central committee Attorney E. T. Richardson has left this city for St. Louis where he will apply to Judge Thayer of the United States district court of appeals for writs of habeas corpus for Thomas Shephardson, Peter Miller and Michael Dowd, prisoners in the Denver county jail under sentence for contempt of court of this state in disregarding its orders at the late election. "We wish to test the jurisdiction of the Colorado supreme court in this matter," said Milton Smith, chairman of the Democratic committee, in reference to the proposed proceedings in the federal court. Attorney John M. Waldron has also departed for St. Louis to contest the motion that is to be made by Mr. Richardson.

Felton Indicted for Murder.

New York, Nov. 30.—An indictment for murder in the first degree has been returned against Frank Felton, who is charged with fatally shooting Guy Roche Thanksgiving night. Roche was shot on Broadway while the street was thronged with people coming from the theaters. Before he died he identified Felton as his assailant, but said the shooting was justified.

Ocean Rates Will Be Restored.

London, Nov. 30.—The final points of dispute between the Cunard and White Star lines have been adjusted and circulars will be issued restoring the transatlantic passenger rates to their old level.

HOLD THEIR POSITIONS

JAPANESE RETAIN POSSESSION OF RUSSIAN DEFENSES RECENTLY CAPTURED.

NOT PREPARED FOR FINAL CHARGE

SITUATION AT PORT ARTHUR AS SUMMARIZED BY IMPERIAL HEADQUARTERS.

Tokio, Nov. 30.—The imperial headquarters summarizes the Port Arthur situation as follows: "With regard to the enemy's forts at Sungshu mountain and eastward we have finally captured the crests, glazes and counterscarps and their vicinities, but the time to charge has not yet come. At present we are destroying the casemates and other caponiers. "At 203-Metre hill by several charges we succeeded in capturing the enemy's shelter trenches near the summit. At present our force is holding its position and endeavoring to capture the whole fort."

MANCHURIAN SITUATION.

Conditions There Summarized by Japanese Headquarters.

Tokio, Nov. 30.—The imperial headquarters has summarized the Manchurian situation in the following statement: "On the evening of Nov. 27 the enemy made a dull bombardment against Santaokuntzu and the enemy's infantry from 6:30 o'clock attempted a night attack, which was repulsed at 8:30. During the attack the enemy's mortars in the neighborhood of Weichialoutzu bombarded Santaokuntzu and their vicinities, but did not injure us. From sunset Nov. 27 the enemy's mortars and field guns west of the railroad bombarded incessantly the neighborhood of Kuchiatzu. Simultaneously the enemy's infantry occupied a village northwest of Nankuantzu and fired in the direction of Siaoehistzu, which is north of Kuchiatzu. The firing quieted at 8:30. The same evening at 10:30 the enemy's infantry west of the railroad on the right bank of the Shakhe river and northward of Sincinpu fired at us desultorily and ceased firing at 11:30.

CORONER SAYS SUICIDE.

Verdict in Case of Prominent Cincinnati Railroad Man.

Cincinnati, Nov. 30.—Coroner Weaver has rendered a verdict in the case of C. A. Parker, vice president of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and Pere Marquette railroad, who died here suddenly in his office Nov. 19, finding that death was caused by suicide with prussic acid. Mr. Parker's death at the time was supposed to be from natural causes and no autopsy was held, neither was the coroner disposed to hold an inquest and the body was forwarded to St. Louis for burial. Mr. Parker had recently come into the service of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton and Pere Marquette system and had been unusually busy in the work of reorganizing. He had arrived from a business trip on the day of his death and had given no indication of ill health or of mental disturbance. It was discovered afterwards that just before his death he had placed in his desk all valuables carried on his person. He was seen to step behind a screen where the water cooler was placed and where, presumably, he swallowed the fatal drug. On the day of Mr. Parker's burial and almost at the hour of his funeral Miss Elsie Gesterling died by her own hand in Chicago. It developed that she had been his stenographer in Denver and that there was a story of improper relations between them. The husband of Miss Gesterling's mother said after his stepdaughter's death that he believed that Parker and Miss Gesterling had agreed to die together. It was shown that just previous to Parker's death he had visited Miss Gesterling in Chicago. After these developments the coroner decided to hold an inquest. From the testimony taken he now finds that Mr. Parker's death was caused by prussic acid self-administered.

RUN ON A SAVINGS BANK.

Depositors Withdraw \$50,000 From a Michigan Institution.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Nov. 30.—Excited savings depositors of the Kalamazoo Savings bank Monday created a run on the institution and drew during the day about \$50,000 of their deposits. The bank was kept open two hours later than the usual closing hour and it is considered that the run is broken. It is said that the run was caused by the suit begun here last week by some of the heirs of the Henry Brees estate. Part of the funds of the estate are kept at the bank and the institution was made defendant with the executor. This fact is said to have been misunderstood by a number of the savings depositors and twisted into a belief that the institution was not sound.

RESEMBLED A

HUNDREDS OF SHOTS FIRED INTO ZEIGLER, ILL., BY ATTACKERS IN AMBUSH.

GATLING GUNS REPLY TO ASSAULT

ADDITIONAL COMPANY OF MILITIA ON THE SCENE TO PROTECT PROPERTY.

Benton, Ill., Nov. 30.—Constant firing at Zeigler during the night was almost like the noise of a battle. No less than 500 shots were fired into Zeigler from ambush. The shots came from every direction, but were aimed too high to do any damage. The two gatling guns on top of the office buildings and coal tipples at Zeigler answered the fire, but at this hour it is not known if any one was hurt. Over a bushel of empty shells were picked up in the woods. Company C of the Fourth infantry reached Zeigler during the day and reported to Sheriff Stein. The Illinois Central railroad agent at Halliday, reports that scores of shots were distinctly heard by him as the train bearing the troops was passing through a woody tract near there. While martial law has not yet been declared at Zeigler the situation closely approaches it. One not properly vouched for can not enter the town. The entire Leiter tract of land, containing 8,000 acres is to be put under military surveillance. The position taken by the Franklin county officials is generally approved.

FRENCH MEMBER NAMED.

Admiral Fournier Will Sit on Anglo-Russian Commission.

Paris, Nov. 30.—The council of ministers has designated Admiral Fournier to sit on the Anglo-Russian North sea commission. Foreign Minister Delcasse informed the council that the foreign minister's palace on the Quay d'Orsay would be placed at the disposal of the commission, which will assemble at an early date.

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